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REFS: (A) MOSCOW 6259, (B) STATE 103859, (C) 6 MAY TELCALL

TO GANLEY

- 1. FINAL MORRIS/AYKAZYAN MEETINGS AT SCST ON 6 MAY PRODUCED ONLY MINOR CHANGE GIVEN BELOW IN SUGGESTED WORDING FOR AGREEMENT FORMAT. SOVIETS RESTATED THEIR PREFERENCE FOR PROTOCOL. FACT THAT DEPARTMENT ACTIVELY CONSIDERING SOVIET PROPOSAL FOR PROTOCOL (REFS B, C) RELAYED TO AYKAZYAN AT COB 6 MAY.
- 2. SOVIETS SUGGEST, IF AGREEMENT FORMAT IS USED, THAT ARTICLE 8.1 BE CHANGED TO READ: "THIS AGREEMENT SHALL ENTER INTO FORCE ON MAY 24, 1977, AND SHALL REMAIN IN FORCE FOR FIVE YEARS." THIS REPLACES PHRASE IN CURRENT AGREEMENT WHICH INITIATED VALIDITY UPON SIGNATURE. SUGGESTED PROTOCOL TEXT ALREADY INCORPORATES SUCH TERMINOLOGY.

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3. ALTHOUGH NOTING THAT QUESTION IS CONSIDERABLY LESS IMPORTANT THAN GETTING AGREEMENT EXTENDED, TRIFONOV SAID THAT MFA WOULD LIKE TO KNOW U.S. PLANS OR THOUGHTS ON PUBLICITY FOR EXTENSION. PLEASE ADVISE. MATLOCK

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